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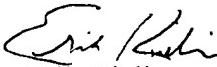
### *Response to Amendment*

1. The reply filed on 22 October 2002 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): While Examiner has acknowledged that a marked-up version was faxed to the Office both on 22 October 2002 and again on 10 January 2003, Applicant still has not provided a version of the marked-up claims underlining **all additions** made to the claims. Applicant is kindly requested to compare the amended claims to those claims directly preceding --especially claim 23-- because **all changes** to the claims have not been indicated in the marked-up version. Rather only selected changes have been indicated. Accordingly, neither Amendment is fully responsive. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Erik Kielin whose telephone number is 703-306-5980. The examiner can normally be reached on 9:00 - 19:30 on Monday through Thursday..

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Carl Whitehead, Jr., can be reached at 703-308-4940. The fax phone numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are 703-872-9318 for regular communications and 703-872-9319 for After Final communications.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-0956.

  
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